

# Economic Census: Local Business Snapshot

## Baltimore-Towson, MD Metro Area

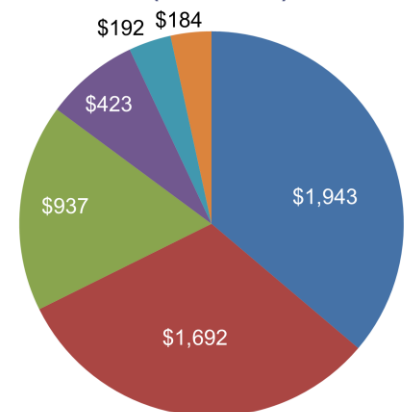
### DID YOU KNOW?

While the Health Care and Social Assistance sector was the largest employer in the Baltimore metro area, the Wholesale Trade sector reported the highest 2007 sales (\$45.9 Billion). The Baltimore metro was ranked 21<sup>st</sup> among U.S. metros in the number of businesses in the Health Care and Social Assistance sector (7,208 establishments).

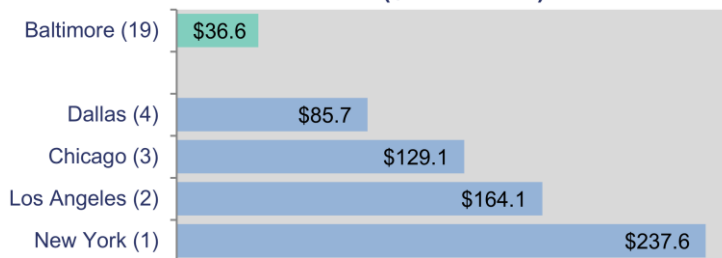
### NUMBER OF HEALTH CARE BUSINESSES IN BALTIMORE METRO COUNTIES: 2007



### ACCOMMODATION AND FOOD SERVICES SALES BY INDUSTRY: 2007 (\$ Millions)



### TOTAL RETAIL SALES IN THE TOP METRO AREAS: 2007 (\$ BILLIONS)



- FULL-SERVICE RESTAURANTS
- LIMITED-SERVICE EATING PLACES
- HOTELS AND MOTELS
- FOOD SERVICE CONTRACTORS
- BARS
- ALL OTHER

### EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS IN TOP 5 INDUSTRY SECTORS IN THE BALTIMORE METRO AREA: 2007 & 2002

2007 NAICS Code	2007 NAICS Defined	Number of employees (Sector Ranking Statistic)			Payroll per Employee (\$)		
		2007	2002	Change	2007	2002	Change
62	Health care and social assistance	173,557	151,284	22,273	\$41,318	\$33,830	\$7,488
44-45	Retail trade	141,052	134,961	6,091	\$24,546	\$21,749	\$2,797
54	Professional, scientific, and technical services	122,992	NA	NA	\$64,613	NA	NA
72	Accommodation and food services	97,405	87,863	9,542	\$14,887	\$12,223	\$2,664
56	Administrative and support and waste management and remediation services	90,908	82,552	8,356	\$32,723	\$23,528	\$9,195

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